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ELECTRICAL SEPARATOR HAVING SHUTDOWN MECHANISM, PRODUCTION THEREOF AND USE IN

LITHIUM BATTERIES

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith:

PCT Transmittal Letter/Application Data Sheet/Notice of Priority/Drawings (3 sheets) English Translation of Specification/Preliminary Amendment/PCT/IB/304/PCT/IB/308 Information Disclosure Statement/Form PTO-1449/Reference Cited (5)/Declaration International Search Report/Credit Card Payment Form for \$1150.00

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> COMPRISING A SHUT-DOWN MECHANISM, METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF AND ITS USE IN LITHIUM BATTERIES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.